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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached: Petition for Extension of Time

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	8	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	8	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
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